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In re the Application of :
: **LOUIS C. ARGENTA & MICHAEL J. MORYKWA** : Art Unit
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Serial No. (Not yet known) : Examiner:
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Filed: **February 19, 1998** :
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For: **WOUND TREATMENT EMPLOYING REDUCED** :
PRESSURE :

Commissioner of Patents
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Washington, DC 20231

PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT

Dear Sir:

Please amend the specification of the above identified application as follows:

Before the Field of the Invention, insert the following:

- Related Applications

This application is a continuation of co-pending application serial number 09/026,353, entitled "Wound Treatment Employing Reduced Pressure," filed February 19, 1998, which is a continuation of application serial number 08/467,243, entitled "Wound Treatment Employing Reduced Pressure," filed on June 6, 1995, abandoned, which is a continuation of application serial number 08/028,677, entitled "Wound Treatment Employing Reduced Pressure," filed March 9, 1993, now U.S. Patent Number 5,636,643, issued June 10, 1997, which is a continuation-in-part of application serial number 07/792,001, entitled "Method of Treating Tissue Damage and Apparatus for Same," filed on November 14, 1991, now U.S. Patent Number 5,645,081, issued July 8, 1997, such applications being incorporated herein by reference.